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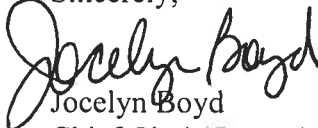
**RE: Docket No. 2019-196-E – South Carolina Energy Freedom Act (House Bill 3659)
Proceeding Related to Duke Energy Progress, LLC for the Commission to Establish
Reasonable Guidelines to Ensure Reasonable Interconnection Timelines, Including
Time Requirements to Deliver a Final System Impact Study to All Interconnection
Customers that Execute a System Impact Study Agreement - S.C. Code Ann. Section
58-27-460-(D)**

Dear Ms. Smith:

Please take Notice that at its regularly scheduled Commission Business Meeting on Wednesday, May 29, 2019, the Public Service Commission (Commission) directed its Staff to open four dockets to address the mandate in S. C. Code Ann. Section 58-27-460 (D) which reads as follows:

"Each electrical utility shall comply with the South Carolina generator interconnection procedures and all commission-approved agreements regarding interconnection practices and reporting requirements. The commission shall establish reasonable guidelines to ensure reasonable interconnection timelines, including time requirements to deliver a final system impact study to all interconnection customers that execute a system impact study agreement prior to three months after the effective date of this act. The commission shall consider implementation of additional performance incentives and enforcement mechanisms for electrical utilities to ensure compliance with this requirement."

Information related to the above-referenced docket can be accessed on the Commission's website at www.psc.sc.gov.

Sincerely,

Jocelyn Boyd
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c: Rebecca J. Dulin, Counsel, Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC
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